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#### **STATUS**

2. Applicant

claims small entity status.

X is other than a small entity.

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3.	The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.  (complete (a) or (b), as applicable)										
(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below											
		Extension for response within:	Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)							
		first month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00							
		second month	\$ 400.00	\$ 200.00							
		third month	\$ 920.00	\$ 460.00							
		fourth month	\$1,440.00	\$ 720.00							
		fifth month	\$1,960.00	\$ 980.00							
			Fee:	\$							
If aı	n additional	extension of time is required, ple	ease consider this a pe	etition therefor.							
(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)											
An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.											
	Extension fee due with this request \$										
	OR										
	(b) X Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.										

# **FEE FOR CLAIMS**

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY	PRESENT	ADDITIONAL.	OP	ADDITIONAL		
	AMENDMENT	MINUS	PAID FOR	EXTRA =	RATE FEE x \$9 = \$	OR	RATE FEE x \$18 = \$		
OTAL NDEP.		MINUS		=	x \$42 = \$		x \$84 = \$		
	FIRST PRESEN	FATION OF	MULTIPLE DEP. (	CLAIM	+\$130= \$		+ \$280 = \$		
					TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$	OR	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$		
	(a) <u>X</u>	No addi	itional fee fo	r Claims is	required				
				OR					
	(b)	Total ac	lditional fee	for claims	required \$				
			FEI	E PAYME	NT				
5.	Attached is a check in the sum of \$								
		-	t Account No this transmit		the sum of \$ ned.				
			FEE :	DEFICIE	NCY				
6.	X If any 01-238		al extension	and/or fee i	is required, charge l	Depos	sit Account No.		
				AND/OR					
	X If any 2384.	additiona	al fee for clai	ims is requ	ired, charge Deposi	t Acc	ount No. 01-		
7.	Other:	_ Other:							
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